



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Kuester et al.

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For: Process for Making Rigid  
Urethane-Modified Polyisocyanurate Foams

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Group Art Unit: 1711

Examiner: Cooney, John M.

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT FILED WITH  
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

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Date: April 5, 2006

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Applicants submit this Preliminary Amendment in conjunction with the filing of a Request for Continued Examination. Before considering the present application further on its merits, Applicants request that the following amendments be entered and the accompanying remarks considered. Reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.